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SUBJ: CONGRESSIONAL HEARINGS ON AMERICAN PRISONERS: EXTORTION BY
ATTORNEYS.

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1. EMBASSY SUGGESTS FOLLOWING BE ADDED TO END OF SECOND
PARA PROPOSED LETTER: "FOR THIS PURPOSE, A CERTIFIED COPY
IS ONE WHICH HAS BEEN CERTIFIED BY A NOTARY PUBLIC TO BE
A TRUE COPY. THE NOTARY'S SIGNATURE SHOULD BE AUTHENT-
ICATED BY THE MEXICAN CONSUL HAVING JURISDICTION." LIST
OF MEXICAN CONSULATES IN US COULD BE ATTACHED TO LETTER.

2. AT BEGINNING OF FOURTH PARA PROPOSED LETTER, EMBASSY
BELIEVES "...YOU OUGHT TO CONFIRM..." IS BETTER THAN
"...YOU MAY WISH...".

3. IN GARCIA ROMOS CASE, COURT HAS BEEN EXCEEDINGLY
UNCOOPERATIVE IN PROVIDING EMBASSY WITH INFORMATION ON
HOW TRANSCRIPT MAY BE OBTAINED. ACCORDING TO TELEPHONE
CONVERSATION WITH COURT SECRETARY TODAY, INFORMATION
SHOULD BE RECEIVED WITHIN NEXT WEEK.

4. RE PARA 8, REFTTEL, SEE MEXICO CITY 8020 FOR AVILES'
EXPLANATION OF WHY HE REPAID MONEY IN VANDENDRIESCHE
CASE. WHETHER OR NOT HIS ALLEGATION IS TRUE, EMBASSY
BELIEVES THAT CAUTIONARY LANGUAGE SHOULD INDEED BE
INSERTED.

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